

**PATENT**

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**AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 21, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

**Specification Amendments** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

An **Appendix** providing an English language abstract for case DE4420775 is attached following page 11 of this paper.